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PROFESSOR WARNER SUSTAINS HURT IN FALL LAST SUNDAY

Two Bones in Leg Broken at the Ankle—Quick Recovery Expected

NO OPERATION NECESSARY

As a result of a fall of 20 feet from a tree Sunday, Professor E. P. Warner, head of the Aeronautical Department at the Institute, is now in the Massachusetts General Hospital suffering from a broken leg and a severe fracture of the ankle. It is probable that he will not be able to resume his official duties for at least a month.

Professor Warner was visiting friends in Marshfield, Massachusetts and during the electrical storm Sunday morning lightning struck a tree near the house in which he was staying. The tree took fire, burning the insulation from two electric wires that passed through its branches, and fearing that the house might also begin to burn, he climbed into the tree and attempted to extinguish the flames with a bucket of water.

While pouring the water on the burning wood, electrical contact was established from the non-insulated wires and he received a shock which caused him to lose his footing and fall to the ground. The two bones in his left leg were broken at the ankle and two or three bones of his foot were dislocated. He was removed to the hospital imme-

Although the accident was quite serious, Doctor Wilson, the attending physician, looks for a quick recovery. fracture was considered at first to be much more serious than it really is and the possibilities of an operation were discussed, but it has since been found that this will not be necessary.

Professor Warner is so devoted to his work that he would not even allow this misfortune to separate him from it. A telephone placed at his bedside keeps him in constant communication with his secretary and with his associates in the Aeronautical Department.

HACKETT'S ORCHESTRA PLAYS AT DORM DANCE

Friday evening is the time set for the first Dorm Dance of the term to be held in Walker as usual. This dance will be informal and will last from 8 until 12 o'clock. The patronesses and ushers have been procured. The last chance to get tickets for the dance will be tomorrow noon from 12 until 2 o'clock in the main

Hackett's Orchestra, which has performed at several affairs at Technology will furnish the music. Free refresh ments are to be served as usual. Mis W. M. Ross and Mrs. H. M. Goodwin are to act as the patronesses and E. W. Bemis '27, J. L. Piland '24, and D. S. Miller '27 will act as ushers.

CLEVINGER TO SPEAK ON OXYGEN EXPLOSIVES

New Method of Blasting To Be Explained to Miners

G. H. Clevinger will speak on "Liquid Oxygen Explosives" at the first meet-ing of the Mining Engineering Society this term, to be held in north hall Walker, at 8 o'clock tomorrow. The subject of his talk will be the recent development of methods in mining which do away with the necessity for keeping dangerous explosives near mines and which will enable each mine to supply its own explosives. The dis-

cussion will be illustrated by slides.

Mr. Clevinger is a consulting metallurgist with the U. S. Smelting, Mining, and Refining Co., and is one of the two men to do original work on liquid oxygen explosives in this country. The idea was originated in Germany and continued in this country by Mr. Clevinger and an associate. In brief, it makes use of the amount of heat taken up by liquid oxygen in vaporizing to cause rock or ore to contract more suddenly than it can stand, shattering The industry is only in its infancy in this country, but it is rapidly growing in importance, although of course, opposed by manufacturers of ordinary explosives. The meeting to-morrow is open to all students and are especially invited.

"Beaver-Beaver Who's

Got Our Little Beaver'

"Button, Button, who's got the Button" appears to be the game being played by a group of Technology students, only in their game the button is replaced by the Beaver. Up until late last night nothing very definite regarding its whereabouts had been determined through reporters on its trail. The latest information is that furnished by the dormitory porter who was on duty last Sunday. According to him the Beaver was removed from the basement late Sunday afternoon by a group of Juniors who live in the dormitor-

D. H. KECK ELECTED T.C.A. PRESIDENT

Browning '25 To Be New Vice-President, C. L. Petz **Treasurer**

At the regular monthly meeting of the T. C. A. which was held Monday at 5 o'clock, D. H. Keck '25 was elected president; Harrison Browning '25, vice-president; and C. L. Petze Jr. '25, treasurer. These men will not assume office until the 15th of this month, but will meet with the executive committee without vote at the regular meetings.

Prior to his election Keck served on the cabinet as director of meetings, and had charge of Dr. Seer-ley's lectures. At the New Engley's lectures. At the New England Citizenship Conference held at Harvard in January he was in charge of the T. C. A. department. In his Sophomore year he was president of his class, but on account of changing his course was required to drop out and become one of the class of 25.

The newly elected vice-president, Browning, has been on the cabinet as director of church relations. At the first of the year he sent out notices to the freshmen and transfer students informing them of the location of the various churches of different denominations around Boston. He was one of the two Technology delegates sent to the quadrennial convention of the student voluntary movement held at Indianapolis last Christmas.

Petze had charge of the T.C.A. blotter last fall and is on the staff of the Tech Engineering News.

CONCERT TO BE GIVEN CITY'S BANK OFFICERS

Between last Saturday's concert at the Hotel Somerset and the Spring Concert which will be held at the same place on the evening of April 22 the Combined Musical Clubs will not undertake many performances. The clubs are planning give a concert for the Bank Officers of Boston, Friday evening at the City Club. This organization of bank officers includes the executives of the numerous banks in the city. The clubs gave a concert for them last year. Plans for a concert to be given for the Knights Templars of Hyde Park had to be abandoned since the hall in which the affair was to be held has been too badly ravaged by fire to serve such a purpose and no other suitable place is available.

JUNIOR PROM SIGNUPS SELL LIKE HOT CAKES

Only a Very Few Tickets Remain To Be Sold on Friday

Redemption for the Junior Prom tickets went so fast yesterday that at the end of the day, there were only 20 of the 520 tickets left. The remain ing stag and chaperone tickets will be on sale Friday from 9 until 12. Reservations may be made for the remain-

ing tickets.
Plans for Junior Week are very near completion now with every afternoon and evening taken up by dances, Tech show, meets and more dances, both tea and evening affairs. Stag tickets will sell for \$4, chaperone for \$5.

At the present time there is a rough draft of the program of events available and the complete program will be announced soon. The Technique Rush will start off the festivities and it is members of the faculty, and chemists rumored that the Beaver might appear at that time.

ARRIVAL OF HUGE TANK HERE CAUSE FOR EXCITEMENT

Great Machine Left Watertown For Institute 5 O'clock Yesterday Morning

COOLING SYSTEM FAILS

At last the big 40-ton Mark VII tank, so long heralded as "soon to arrive" has made its appearance, and is at present reposing in solitary splendor in the lot on Massachusetts Avenue adjoining Building At last accounts, it was surrounded by a crowd of admirers who were gazing at it with a look of wonder, while a few of the braver or more agile ones climbed over the top to peer in and see "what makes it go.

The tank was started from the Water town Arsenal at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, the earliness of the hour being explained by the fact that the tank isn't very gregarious, and if the traffic was very heavy would crowd everything else off the road. Major C. H. Bandholtz of the Department of Military Science, was in charge of the trip, and Major Smith superintendant of Building and Power accompanied him to take care of any protests from the civil authorities. Permission had been obtained to bring the tank up, but there was a fear that the police might change their minds when they realized just how gigantic the mobile fortress really is.

Nothing of moment occurred on the way up, beyond the fact that the fan belt broke, and trouble with the cooling system necessitated a stop every eight blocks or so to change the water in the radiator. The tank finally arrived a few minutes after 10 o'clock, and was taken to its present position, tearing up the campus quite a little on the way.

For the next few days, the tank will remain in the open, so that all who wish may have an opportunity to see it. It will then be taken to its permanent home in the hangar, where it is to be used in the instruction of the Ordnance Unit of the R.O.T.C.

APRIL 25 CHOSEN AS DATE OF OPEN HOUSE

Professionals to Entertain Visitors to Institute

April 25 has been chosen as the date for Open House night. Open House is under the control of the Combined Professional Societies and is held to bring people outside Technology in closer relationship with the Institute. While the program has not been definitely decided it is thought that it will be similar to that of last year.

Visitors will be escorted to the various laboratories and points of interest shown by student guides. The wind tunnel will be running and the Clark Col-lection in the Naval Architecture Museum will be a feature of the exhibits. Everything will be done to make conditions approximate the normal working condition of the Institute.

Although it is hoped to interest the public in general in the work of the Institute, the committee believes that Open House is an excellent chance for business and professional men and students to become acquainted with Technology. Last year about 1000 took advantage of this opportunity.

Poet's Daughter Sees Marine Print Exhibit

Among the 1600 persons who visited the exhibition of Marine Prints in the Pratt Building in the last few weeks was Miss Alice Longfellow. daughter of the poet Henry W. Longfellow.

Miss Longfellow was conducted through the exhibit by Professor George Owen '94 of the Department of Naval Architecture. As Professor Owen was describing the yacht

ALUMNI COUNCIL DINES IN WALKER

Well Attended Meeting Features Latest News of New University Club

With only a few minor changes being enacted in the by-laws of the Alumni Association, the Alumni Council dined in the Faculty dining room Monday evening with a large number attending. In the absence of the president, J. R. Macomber '97, vice-president of the Association, presided.

A feature of the evening was a speech by P. D. Sheeline '19 who is connected with the New University Club. Mr. Sheeline gave the plans of the new club and the advancement that has been accomplished in the few months that the organization has been at work. The ownership certificate privilege has been withdrawn since last Monday on account of the quota having been reached.

Technology Has Good Quota There are at the present time about 470 Technology men who have signed up for the ownership certificates which compares favorably with the other col-

leges. The opportunity of buying life certificates has not been withdrawn as yet and will probably continue for a

In order for students and the Alumni to become members now, it will be necessary for them to pay an initiation fee of \$100, except in the case of those who wish to sign up for life member-ship which is \$1,000.

ARTICLE ON SUBMARINE SIGNALS FEATURES T.E.N.

Tech Engineering News for April comes out today, and will sell for 15 cents. An article by R. L. Williamson '01 of the Submarine Signal Company of Boston on "Submarine Signalling" is the feature article, but there are many other stories on other subjects. An article by T. H. Bailey Whipple, salesman for the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, on "Artistry and Devotion in Salesmanship" deals with a subject usually not much emphasized in the Institute. This article is the third of a series of four articles contributed by the Westinghouse company to help students analyze themselves to determine what they

Wrestlers Receive Five of the DISCUSS REORGANIZATION

"Alice" to Miss Longfellow, she stopped him and said, "You can't tell me about that yacht, Professor Owen. I was present when it was christened and it was named for

Letters -- Other Goes to Gym Team Man

The insignia awards in the various winter sports were passed upon and approved by the Advisory Council on Athletics which met at the Engineers' Club last evening. Six straight " were awarded, five of them being won by members of the wrestling team and the remaining one going to Captain J. T. McCoy '24 of Gym. Captain F. W. Greer '25, T. G. Coyle '25, Rock Hereford '24, W. D. Norwood, and T. W. Tuttle '25 were the wrestlers who received a straight "T." Two of the awards of a "T" carried with them a star, which signifies that it was the second time a "T" has been won by the same man.

Swimming Awards Made
D. C. Grinnell 26, R. W. Tryon 25, and L. W. Cummings 26, the remaining members of the wrestling team, received the award of "wTt." All the men who received the "T" award in wrestling have made exceptionally good records during their careers. Hereford who won the New England Intercollegiate Championships for the last three years goes to New York this month to represent New England in the national Olympic tryouts. Captain Greer, Coyle, and Norwood have been leading scorers

for the Engineers throughout the seas-on, while Tuttle competed last year. The following automatic awards of the "sTt" to members of the swimming team were approved: Captain Dave Evans '24, V. K. Cates '24, C. L. Dunn '24, A. S. Ford '26, A. D. Keay '25, Kearns, R. W. Richardson '26, and Taylor. W. M. Walworth '26 was granted a discretionary award of a "sTt" Captain F. S. Johnson '26 "sTt." Captain E. S. Johnson '26, E. B. Davidson '24, W. M. Forrester '26, L. S. Lankton '24, A. A. Lauria '25, W. L. Levi '24 and A. Simonds '25 were awarded the "bTb" in basketball. G. C. Caine '25 and E. W. Eager '25 received the same insignia by a discrehonary award.

Report on Reorganization

The report of the committee of the Athletic Association which was appointed to study merits of the plan for reorganization of the Association was favorable to the suggestions submitted. After the Advisory Council studies the report, it will meet with the Executive Committee of the Athletic Association and a joint report will be given on the feasibility of changing the present organization. The plan as submitted provided for an organization somewhat similar to that of THE TECH and Technique, as it provided for a managing board as the chief executive body. E. S. Johnston who is captain-elect

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RADIO INVENTOR WILL SPEAK HERE TOMORROW

A talk on the early development of radio will be given by R. A. Fessenden at the meeting of the M. I. T. Radio Society, to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in room 10-275. Preceding the meeting there will be a joint conference of the officers of the Commonwealth Radio Association, of Boston, with the officers of the M. I. T. Radio Society.

Mr. Fessenden has been prominently associated with the development of wireless, especially in its early days. He was the first to hear Marconi's wireless message across the Atlantic. He is also noted for the invention of the heterodyne system of receiving.

Plans for the annual banquet of the radio society and other New England amateur radio operators will be made public at the meeting tomorrow evening.

CALENDAR

Thursday, April 3

6:30-Class of 1895 dinner, Faculty Dining Room,

8:00-Mining Engineering Society smoker, north hall, Walker.

Friday, April 4 8:00-Informal Dorm Dance, main hall, Walker.

Tuesday, April 8

8:00-Meeting of Math Club, Faculty and

Alumni room, Walker.
Friday, April 11
8:00—Class of '27 dance, main hall, Walker.

Registration Figures Prove Course VI to Be Largest at the Institute

Figures for the third term registration. The small size of the freshman class have just been released by the Bursar's office. Each term the statistics are made up according to years and courses and photostat copies made for distribution. The figures show nothing unusual for the term. The total number registered than the first term registration. is slightly more than the annual drop which has averaged about six per cent in the past.

The largest course is Electrical Engineering which has 592 men registered in the three options. Sanitary Engineering has the lowest place with eight men, although the torpedo design option of

course II has only two men in it. The order of the courses according to size with their registration is as follows: VI-592, II-412, XV-378, X-342, I-297, IV-142, IX-138, V-111, III-83, XIII-73, XIV-63, VII-28, VIII-18, Special-18, XII-14, Aero Engineering-12, XI-8,

would be unusual for most colleges but at Technology it is usually rather small This is because of the large number of men who transfer from other colleges with advanced standing. freshman group is smaller than is usual even at Technology, largely because is 2719 which is about ten per cent less of the abolition of the junior freshman group entering in January. Besides this the extra three or four percent decrease in total registration which holds true in practically every University in the country this year must be taken into account.

The Sophomore class is the largest with 688 men. Juniors have 634; Seniors, 614, freshmen, 525, and Graduates, 243. It is emphasized by the Bursar's of-

fice that these are not the figures for the entire year. When most colleges make up the reports on attendance for the year all students who attend only part of the year are included in the total, besides summer school being counted.

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BUILDING A BRIDGE

 ${f M}^{
m AYOR}$ CURLEY expressed a wide-spread sentiment when he asked the legislative committee on metropolitan affairs to report favorably the bill authorizing the construction of a memorial bridge on the site which is now occupied by the decrepit Harvard Bridge. He insisted that the plan to repair the present structure does not suit him or the people of Boston.

As he said, it would be like patching an old suit of clothes The aesthetic part of the problem must be taken into consideration by the committee if they are going to reach a conclusion which will satisfy their constituents. The need is for a structure which will add to the beauty of the Basin, and comport with the West End Bridge, the Lars Anderson Bridge, and the proposed Cottage Farm Bridge.

Technology in particular would be benefited by the crection of the bridge which is proposed by the Metropolitan District Commission and which is now being considered by the Legislature as an alternative to the repair of Harvard Bridge. It was designed to harmonize with the Institute buildings and is to be faced with a veneer of the same limestone. With such an approach, the classic beauty of the buildings will be less defiled by rattle trap surroundings.

A bridge like this will augment rather than minimize the contribution of Technology to the appearance of the Charles. And when it is built, it should be called "Technology Bridge."

ON STUDIES

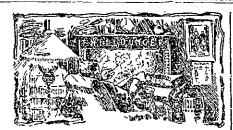
TOWARDS the end of the term there is markly a state up with his does not burn the midnight oil in an effort to catch up with his contact to scratch in all of NOWARDS the end of the term there is hardly a student that work. The man is rare that finds himself up to scratch in all of his studies. The great majority spend the last week, or two weeks, in intensive cramming in order to finish the term with a clean slate.

An early start helps a lot to get things going. A continual keeping at it is the only way in which to get through the term's work and get the most out of it. Last minute cramming too often enables a man to get by, but he does so with an insufficient and usually temporary knowledge of the subject.

Coming in the spring, the third term is the hardest one of all for the student. Athetics, diversions, the weather-everything seems to combine for the sole purpose of distracting the would-be seeker-after-knowledge. For the Seniors this is the most important term of their stay at the Institute. For the rest of us the question of summer school or no summer school often hangs on our third term record.

If we are to successfully negotiate our studies, it means doing today instead of putting off till tomorrow. Nobody wants to study when the weather is fine, but it is a thing that we come to the Institute to do and a thing that must be done if we are to get the most out of our stay here.

Dig in now instead of trying to catch up later. You may be able to get by with the Institute by using last minute tactics. But they will not get you by with your self, if you are honest, nor with your future employer if he knows men.



Yesterday was April Fool's Day, and the old weather man sure took advantage of the fact to fool everybody. The Lounger was all set for a beautiful Spring day to usher in the foolish month, but no such luck. The day started off with a cold wind, and after dark degenerated into a howling blizzard, greatly to the Lounger's disgust. who was thereby compelled to become a human snow man on his home from the den of the underworld where THE TECH is printed. Worse than this even is the prospect of wading knee-deep in the all too well-known Cambridge mud.

The Lounger certainly fells sorry for poor Major Smith. He had just got-

ten his repairs on the driveways around the Institute well under way, when the Military Science department mobilized its 40-ton traveling fortress, and had it do about face on the roadway, utterly ruining a large piece of it.

Technology, home of beardless professors! A striking lack of hirsute adornment is revealed among the faculty of this institution, revealing presumably that the engineer is less inclined to be academic in appearance than the scholarly professors of the liberal arts. Only one in 20 of the Institute faculty are bearded, or only one in 40 of all officers. At Harvard, however, one in every five seers cultivates a luxuriant growth upon his face,

They have not been the ones to bare their chins unblushingly to the world. Distinguished looking men with long flowing beards are common upon Harvard Yard but are a rare sight in the Great Court. Professor Kittridge, the Harvard Shaksperian authority, is the

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COMMUNICATION

To the Editor:

If any member of the Class of which am President has the Beaver and will notify me of the fact, he will be appointed custodian of the statue. Let both the Class and the individual receive all due honor. Nothing can be gained by further secrecy as to the Class possessing the Beaver. In the interest of fair play and of this newest and best Technology tradition, the speedy announcement of the possessor should be forthcoming.

(Signed) W. H. Robinson Jr. '24 G. L. Bateman '25 D. A. Shepard '26 L. F. Baker '27.

Electricals Deem Failure Lectures On How To Study

Replies to a questionnaire distributed by the Electrical Engineering Department seem to indicate, says Professor W. H. Timbie, that the "How-to-Study" experiment tried by the department last year was a failure. The experiment consisted in inviting several well-known educators, chiefly members of the Harvard University faculty, to lecture to the Sophomore P. E. E. classes on the art of studying.

Such points as the elimination of distracting influences, the selection of favorable times to study, methods of reading quickly and thoroughly were touched upon. The Juniors who took

the course last year replied, however, that they did not get much out of it.

This year the lecture part of the course has been divided up into two main divisions with some prefatory remarks by President Stratton on "The Research Attitude Toward the Job." The first main division concerns the modern trend of electrical engineering and consists of five lectures by Professor Dellenbaugh.

He will take up recent industrial developments, long distance transmission and inter-connection of power systems, insulations and dielectrics, gaseous and ionic conduction, and certain problems which experience does not at present fit the electrical engineer to grapple

The second division of the lecture course is devoted to a discussion of the opportunities offered by the electrical field in its various phases. These lectures are by Professors Jackson, Bush, Kennelly, and Timbie, all of the Electrical Department, and take up public utilities, research and design, communication, engineering and manufactur-

OLD FAVORITE PLAYED BY ST. JAMES COMPANY

The good humor and the lightness of "Peg-O-My-Heart" makes it always enjoyable regardless of whether it has been seen several times before. The St. James company plays this old favorite so well that they give to it a feeling of freshness.

The best of the play is around Peg, who is acted by Ann Mason. Peg is a very real and charming Irish girl, and she puts her charms to good use, controlling most of the men, even to the stubby nosed old butler. Peg has an astonishing way of saying things which makes her laughable. When she is trying to be serious she continually says something wrong or something funny.

Peg keeps the starched old English family in a state of despair, but in addition gives them a touch of real life. Her boyish frankness stays with her throughout, even when she proposes to her lover, and then, in the excitement of the event, nearly kisses him.

Play Directory

COPLEY: "R. U. R." The last week of un usual melodrama, Good,

COLONIAL: "One Kiss." A musical play from the French, with good music and amusing story. HOLLIS: "Merton of the Movies." Satire on

PLYMOUTH: "The Whole Town's Talking." Hilarious farce. ST. JAMES: "Peg-O'-My-Heart." Reviewed

SELWYN: "Dangerous People." Clever comedy of crooks.

SHUBERT: "Topics of 1923." Revue. WILEUR: "The Gingham Girl."

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MARKSMEN DEFEAT **GEORGETOWN TEAM**

Five Possibles Scored Against Georgetown-Six in N. H. State Match

In the prone match with Georgetown, completed last Saturday, the varsity rifles scored a possible for the team while the Georgetown marksmen were only able to puncture their targets for 496 out of a possible 500 The results of the New Hampshire State match have been delayed, and according to the contract, the match is forfeited because results were supposed to be telegraphed before 10 o'clock Saturday night, but in spite of this the Beavers won easily as they shot six possibles, making a perfect score for the team and a possible to spare.

The Georgetown rifle team is considered one of the strong teams of the East but evidently fell down rather badly in their match with the Engin-The results of the New Hampshire State match were to be expected as high scores always pop up when least needed. Ten men shoot in these matches, the five highest represent the team, but in the State match almost all the scores were high, there being six possibles, two 99's, and a 98.

The following men scored possibles in the Georgetown meet: A. E. Benson '26, A. N. Billings '26, J. H. Fielding '26, J. E. Jackson '24, E. D. Murphy '25. The possibles for the New Hampshire State with Hampshire State match were as follows: Whitney Ashbridge '26, A. E. Benson '26, Captain D. M. Creveling '24, J. H. Fielding '25, E. M. Holmes '26, and Manager C. E. Peterson '25.

From The SPORTS DESK

As yet only one freshman has reported for the competition for track manager which began a week or more The men in the freshman class evidently do not realize what an exceptionally good opportunity this is to break into one of Technology's biggest activities with only a term's work The winner of this competition will be on equal footing with the two assistant managers who have been working all vear. The second man in this contest will have the administration of next year's freshman teams and as the feams in question will make about eight trips all over New England as well as one to New York it can easily be seen that even if one should fail to get the Sophomore job there is still a very good position open to him.

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Competition for Positions Is Keen Among All the Crews

WEATHER IS A HANDICAP

With the river and basin continually torn up by the traditional March gales, the Technology crews have been practicing under the greatest difficulties for the past few days. Nevertheless the crews have been going out daily, and, in spite of the adverse weather conditions, the work of rounding the eights into shape has been steadily progressing.

As a result of Saturday's hard workout, the first Varsity went out Monday with a slightly different line-up. D. W. Murdock '24, captain and No. 6 man on the second Varsity was rowing at No. 2 in the first boat, while D. C. Sayre '24, was moved to No. 4 in the Varsity from No. 6. Captain R. C. Eaton '24, of the Varsity boat has been out of the boat for the past few days of his own volition, and his place at No. 7 has been taken by A. Herckmaans '25, No. 5 man in the second Varsity. out, the first Varsity went out Monday No. 5 man in the second Varsity.

Competition Is Keen Competition for seats in all the boats continues keen, and further changes are to be expected at any time. From now on Coach Bill Haines will concern himself only with coaching the presents a very snappy appearance on first and second Varsities, the first 150- the river. The whole crew is compound crew, and the first freshman posed of men of rowing experience boat. As soon as the other coaching who are ineligible for competition in launch, now at Marblehead, is put in commission, Coaches Dallenbaugh and Stevens will take charge of the other

RESUME HANDICAP **MEETS SATURDAY**

First Opportunity Afforded Men to Use Cinders Since Fall

In order to comply with the terms of the gift of an alumnus the handicap meets, four of which have been held already, are to be resumed on Saturday. The terms of the doubtion state that eight handicap meets be held in the course of the year and silver cups are to be awarded in each event to the man winning the greatest number of points. These cups will be on display in the Main Lobby today and tomor-

Five places are counted in each event which makes it very easy for an inexperienced man to roll up a large

All the field events except the indoor 35 pound weight throw will be held, but instead of the usual track events, the running races will consist of the following events: 75 yard dash, 350

yard run, 660 yard run, three-quarters mile, 70 yard high hurdles, and 140 yard low hurdles. All men wishing to enter should sign up at the track house not

later than Friday night.

This will be the first opportunity that the track men have had to try the cinders since early last fall, as Mike has been jealously guarding for weeks his beloved oval from the imprint of spikes. The track has been the source of more controversy than any other thing about the Institute. At one time there was a faction at the track house which advocated the use of a steam roller to smooth out the uneven surface of the cinders but they were effectually stopped by the declaration of Major Smith, Superintendent of Buildings, that he would not lend the roller for this purpose.

COACH HAINES IS **DEVELOPING FINE INELIGIBLE CREW**

Most of Men Are Available For Next Year's Varsity Competition

WILL RACE OTHER CREWS

To the tune of Coach Bill Haines' booming voice, calling to the men through his megaphone to "Pull'er through" or more familiar to "Snap that recovery," the incligible crew has been improving by leaps and bounds and the regular races due to the fact that they are transfers from other colleges or kept from the regular crews due to scholastic difficulties.

Most of the men on the crew will be eligible for competition next year and although at present lost to inter-collegiate racing still will provide a wonderful reinforcement for next season's Varsity. With a view of also obtaining some keen racing ability against which the Varsity and freshman crews can test their strength before the races with the Navy, Coach Haines has given the crew considerable attention lately and the men are beginning to take on the aspect of polished oarsmen. Under the skillful handling of Haines the spacing of the crew is getting bet-ter every time the shell takes to the

Will Race 'Varsity in Practice Stroking the crew at present is Lewis, who has had three year's previous experience at Princeton and although ineligible next season he is very valuable to the crew in teaching them to get on to the new stroke. Brill, last year's stroke on the varsity, rowed stroke for a time but has since been shifted to No. 6. Howard is also another Princeton man with plenty of experience, both he and Brill will be eligible next season. Frink who rowed on the University of Washington freshman crew, and Sutter who transferred from the University of Michigan with

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Freshman Swimmers Defeat Four Teams During Season

Frosh Complete Successful Season with Good Record -will Furnish Material For Strong Varsity Team next Year

After a season equally balanced with victories and defeats, the freshman swimming team concluded their season in meeting Worcester Academy. The team as a whole developed surprisingy during the season, and practically all the members of the yearling team are certain of varsity berths for next year.

In their initial encounter with Malden the Technology freshmen were victors by the narrow margin of 27-26. The team showed strength in the relay and 200 yard sprint, winning both these events. Four seconds and three hird places were also credited to the nstitute swimmers.

Meet Brookline High

The Brookline High tankmen proved oo strong for the yearling mermen, and the schoolboys triumphed 31-22. The plunge and dive proved to be Technology's weak points. The freshman roller to prove the school of the school man relay team won for the second ime. Campbell captured first honors in the 50 yard dash. In the 200 and 100 ard swims. Wies and Campbell won econd places respectively. The meet vas part of an exhibition held for

Winning three first places and the Winning three first places and the relay the Beaver freshmen defeated English High by the score of 32.21. The relay team consisting of Campbell. Armstrong, Himrod and Johnson won this event for the third consecutive time. The other first places were cored by Campbell in the 50. Wies and the score being 35 to 200 and Johnson in the 100 yard the event by more than a lap. In the

As was more or less to be expected the crack Exeter team defeated the freshmen decisively by the score of 51-11. The Technology relay team had its first defeat when one of the swimmers missed touching the end of the pool at the turn, and was forced to go back in order not to have had the team disqualified.

The Cardinal and Gray cubs outclassed the Cambridge High team, and won by the score of 33-20. Technology won the relay by a very wide margin, the anchor man for the yearlings having completed his distance before the last man for Cambridge was able to start. Campbell was the individual star of this meet, winning two first places and swimming an excellent race in the relay. Johnson captured first place easily in the 200 yard sprint for the cubs, and Higgins took second in the

Once again the pendulum swung back and the Technology swimmers triumphed over the Newton tankmen by the score of 27-23. The relay team again came through, and won by a fair margin. Campbell got in his usual good work, and won two first places

in the 200 and Johnson in the 100 yard the event by more than a lan. In the swim.

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CLASS BASEBALL **SEASON STARTED** BY OPEN MEETING

Schedule and Practice Hours Are Arranged for Intramural Series

SENIOR TEAM IS STRONG

Although old man weather has not yet sanctioned the coming baseball season as evidenced by the chilly aspect of the last few days, still anybody could forsee a snappy competition on the diamond this year from the turn-out at the baseball meeting yesterday afternoon in room 5-330. A tentative schedule including practices and games was outlined at the gathering of the interclass warriors by Denton Massey who is managing the sport this spring.

The Seniors and freshmen were more in originate than members of the other products. in evidence than members of the other classes, and the way things are pointing so far, the graduating class seems to have the edge on the rest with a veteran team, last year's champions, back to repeat their victory.

Practice Schedule Announced In a vote to decide whether each team should play two or three games against the other teams it was decided to play the two game schedule as was used last year. The three game schedule was pointed out by W. M. Walterskirchen '24 to be a little too heavy for the teams. "Last year two or three yames hung over dust year two or three games hung over due to postponements because of rain, thus leaving ball games crowding the men who were to take examinations late in May, said the Semor, and the chances are that a three game schedule would remain unfinished if any bad weather were encountered. It was also agreed upon tentatively that the games would start at 4:30 in the afternoon and would last seven in-

At present, it is planned, the Juniors and Seniors will practice Mondays from 4 to 6 o'clock and Thursdays from 4 to 5. The Sophomores and from 4 to 5. The Sophomores and freshmen will use the diamonds on Tuesdays from 4 to 6 and on Thursday from 5 to 6. This will leave Wednesdays and Fridays open for games,—with no games on Saturdays. The playing fields will probably be at the disposal of the Dorms and fraternities on Saturdays and from 7 to 9 on weekon Saturdays and from 7 to 9 on weekday mornings. Practices will begin next week as the fields will be ready for use at this time.

Seniors Confident of Victory
Before Thursday each of the teams
will elect a captain for the season. The Seniors have gotten the jump on the

other class aggregations so far in this respect by electing Walterskirchen as captain at a meeting held fast week. This year the captain will have considerable responsibility as he will also manage the team as well as direct the play from the field. As far as managing the team goes this duty will be far from arduous as no outside games will be played. It is also up to the captain to obtain a coach for his team who will work in cooperation with a head coach of baseball provided by the Athletic This coach will be on the fields every day during the practice sessions and will direct the training of the

With nearly all their old team back the Seniors are looking forward with confidence as to the ultimate outcome of the season. In Fitzgerald, Kennett and Cainfield they have a trio of pitchers, who they expect will blanket chers who they expect will blanket the opposing batters with a dazzling display of drops, fadeaways and round house curves. The rest of the team is equally as strong, three men out for catcher in Mechelena, Pilend and Dailey, and the infield well taken care of by the veterans Walterkirchen, Man-ming, Barker, Lankton, Giles and Par-ker. In the outfield another impos-

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SPEAKERS DISCUSS INSTITUTE SPIRIT

Compare Technology With Other Colleges Throughout the Country

At the meeting of the Speakers Club held last night in room 10-200 the sub-ject of school spirit at Technology as compared with that at other colleges

was discussed.
G. S. Spear '25 opened the discussion by urging a reactionary policy. He went on to talk about the traditions at Technology, and stated that despite the outsiders' belief that there was no spirit, he considered it to be very much pronounced. He stressed the fact that true school spirit showed up in the Alumni, and that the graduates of the Institute always had the biggest sort

of boost for their alma mater.

The next speaker, L. E. Bannon '27, traced the history of school spirit back to the hazing given at West Point. "Tech has wonderful school spirit," he said, "but shows poor sportsmanship." He then went on to back up his statement by citing the few students that usually attended the athletic contests. The Beaver, he thought, was a good attempt at enthusiasm but then asked how many of the student body had ever seen the mascot. One reason why Tech students failed to have the same spirit as at other colleges was on account of not having a regular campus as is prevalent at most universities, he declared.

INELEGIBLE CREW IS MAKING FINE HEADWAY

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three year's rowing experience on the Detroit Boat Club, one of the best club crews in the Middle West, will also be available for intercollegiate competition next year. King although un-available for next year's squad due to four year's rowing on Dart-mouth, has had a great deal of rowing experience and is invaluable on the crew. Munroe and Piper who rowed last fall for first time and have developed capidly are ineligible because of transferring from Colgate and Amherst re spectively Dearle from the University of Illinois is coxing the crew.

This crew will have some stiff work to do in the two months in providing the Varsity and freshman eights some racing competition, all the crews are developing wonderfully.

FRESHMAN SWIMMERS HAVE GOOD SEASON

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back stroke one of the Beaver swimmers was disqualified for swimming off his course, and thus interfering with a Brown swimmer. This made a difference of six points in the final, and was the deciding factor of the meet. The Technology tankmen lost their final encounter to the strong Worcester Academy team. The score of this met was 29-15. Technology's only first place was won by Campbell in the 100 yard dash. In the relay the Worcester tankmen won by the extremely narrow margin of 2-5 of a second.

Notices and Announcements

All notices for this column should be in by the morning of the day preseding the issue.

OFFICIAL

GEOLOGY CONFERENCE

Mr. P. C. Putnam, a graduate student in the department of Geology, will give an illustrated talk in room 8-319 tomorrow afternoon at 4:15, on "A Geological Reconnaissance and Some Central American Volcanoes." All are

MARINE STEAM TURBINES

A course of lectures on Marine Steam Turbines will be given by Mr J. E. Burkhardt, Chief Engineer of the Bath Iron Works in room 3-270 or April 5, and April 12, from 11 to 12 and from 12 to 1. No registration is required.

DORMITORIES

Applications for summer occupancy of the dorms will now be received in

TELEPHONE REPRESENTATIVES Representatives of the Bell System will confer with Seniors and Graduate students of all courses who are interested in employment. Representatives will be in room 10-211 April 3-9 inclu-

ARMY VACANCIES

Examinations are to be held during nology Dames in the the week of April 14 to fill about 100 room Monday afternoon at 2:30. Mad-playing ought to result. vacancies in the Regular Army. Suc-cessful candidates will obtain comissions speak and Miss Natalie Purcell will mcGILL HOPES FOR as second Lieutenants when the class at read. Tea will be served. West Point is graduated this June.

UNDERGRADUATE

CHEMICAL SOCIETY

The Chemical Society will make a trip to the Revere Sugar Refinery this afternoon. Details are posted on the bulletin board opposite Professor

CATHOLIC CLUB

The meeting of the Catholic Club, scheduled for Wednesday, has been

The annual spring Communion of the M. I. T. Catholic Club will take place at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, corner of Washington and Union Park sts., at 9 o'clock mass next Sunday. A communion breakfast will be served in the School Hall after mass.

COMBINED PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Movies on the manufacture of iron and steel will be shown in room 5:330 on Friday at 4. All are welcome.

T. C. A.

The Boy's Department needs more students to take charge of boys' clubs and athletic teams. Also, the Boston Y. M. C. A. wants men for leaders in their summer camp. Any one interested see Frank Shaw at the T. C. A. office or leave word for him there.

MUSICAL CLUBS

There will be a Bank Officers' Concert at the Boston City Club, 12 Somerset St., on Friday, April 4. All be there at 7:30. Concert starts at 7:45.

TECH SHOW

There will be a rehearsal of the Tech Show cast in north hall, Walker,

Thursday at 5.
Rehearsals Tuesday for Chorus at 7:15, Dancers in cast 8:00. Ballet 8:45.

DORM DANCE An informal Dorm Dance will be held in the main hall, Walker, Friday, April 4 at 8. Hackett's orchestra will fur-nish the music. Tickets are \$2.

MATH CLUB

The election of officers for the year 1924-1925 of the Math Club will be held Tuesday, April 8, at 8 in the Faculty and Alumni room, Walker.

"LIFE PRINCIPLES"

The T. C. A. has 30 copies of the 115 page book "Life Principles." These books will be loaned to the first 30 men (faculty or students) applying at the T. C. A. office for the same and may be kept one week.

VOO DOO COMPETITION

The Literary competition for the Prom Issue of Voo Doo closes Friday night, and the Art competition closes Wednesday night. Voo Doo can still use anything that is turned in up till

MINING ENGINEERING SOCIETY G. H. Clevenger will speak at a smo-ker to be held in the north hall, Walker, Thursday, at 8.

TECHNOLOGY DAMESS

SPORTS

JUNIOR BASEBALL

tain at 12 o'clock today.

MINOR SPORT CHARMS

April 7 is the last day for ordering Minor Sport Charms. Leave orders at the A. A. office any afternoon.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Sophomore competition for Assistant Treasurer of the Athletic Association will open April 4. All men interested report to the A. A. office at 5.

GOLF

A meeting of all golf candidates will be held Friday at 5 in room 10-275. Plans for the season will be announced and men interested are urged to at-

TENNIS

A meeting of all men interested in tennis will be held today at 5 in room 10-267. Plans for the season will be discussed.

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WIFE OF FORMER PROFESSOR DEAD

Mrs. Richards, Wife of Former Head of Course III Dies In South

News has been received at Technology of the death of Mrs. Lillian Jameson Richards, wife of Professor Emeritus R. H. Richards '68, former head of the Mining Engineering Department, which occurred at Washington on Monday. Professor and Mrs. Richards had moved from Jamaica Plain to Warrenton, Virginia, last fall to supervise the studies of Mrs. Richards' nephew, a member of Professor Richards' household. Mrs. Richards was taken ill at Washington on March 24 during a sightseeing trip in her nephew's Easter vacation, and pneumonia developed.

Mrs. Richards had always lived in Jamaica Plain and was the daughter of Dr. Jameson, the next door neighbor of Professor Richards on Eliot St. She is survived by a sister, Miss Caroline Jameson, in the Economics Department of the

Institute.

The funeral services will be held in the chapel of the New Old South Church, Copley Square, at 12 o'clock, Thursday, after which the remains will be taken to Forest Hills for cremation.

BASEBALL SEASON IS OPENED BY MEETING

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ing group of pill tossers comes to view in Donkersley, Robertson, and Robinson. This team has all the confidence in the world and if that will get them anywhere along with a championship team the other classes will have to hep it up to get out of their dust. Juniors Also Are Strong

Next in line comes the Juniors who vere last year's runners-up for the Advisory Council Cup, who like the Seniors have also nearly a team of veterans. In the series two years ago while they were freshmen the Juniors ran away with the then Sophomores in their five game series, conquering their Field Day enemies by the over-whelming score of 11 to 0 in the last game. They are out to repeat their victory this year if it is possible, and will give the champions a run for their

A promising bunch of candidates is out for the team in Wheeler, last year's pitcher, Cook, Ingram, Cole, Bill Brown, Ed Johnson, Fuller, Putnam, Fletcher, Lumb, and Simmonds. With such an array of would be sluggers the insurance on the windows in Building 8 and in Walker will undoubtedly take a jump. As to the Sophomore class, they have not as yet shown any signs of life but with last year's team still at the Institute something will be heard from them before the first practice.

In the freshmen group a nucleus for a snappy ball team is set, all of the men have had experience in either prep school or in other colleges. Burke, Cargile, Richards and Weibe will make a fine quartet of curve tossers. Cline, Dodge, Giles, Engel and Crandall may prove to be a million dollar infield. TECHNOLOGY DAMESS
There will be a meeting of the Techclosy. Drawer in the European Property of the Techison's debut, some Iris Speaker ball

QUIET THEATRE NIGHT

The President of the Student Council of McGill University has appealed for Junior baseball candidates will meet in west lounge of Walker to elect capforthcoming Theatre Night at which a large part of the students will be present. He urges them to remember that the eyes of Montreal will be upon them, and to behave accordingly. He explains that it is only fair to the actors to preserve order and allow the show to go off smoothly. Finally he reminds them that any unnecessary noise or rowdyism will react upon the good name of the University and will endanger future Theatre Nights. For the good, therefore, of the students themselves and of McGill, every man is urged to act in a gentlemanly manner. Now that our own Tech Night has come into disrepute because of the inconsiderate actions of a few unthinking students, it is interesting to see the attitude taken by other Colleges.

NEW FOOTBALL RULES TO SPEED UP GAME

The National Collegiate Football Rules Committee, at its meeting in New York a week ago, adopted several new rules with the intention of speeding up the game.

The mud tee for a kick-off was ab-

olished. Henceforth the ball must be held for the kicker by a team mate. Trial for the extra point after a touch-down will hereafter be made from the three yard line instead of the five yard

The time-out penalty has been changed from two yards after three time-outs to five yards after four let-

McGILL LIMITS HAZING

It has been decided to limit hazing at week of the college year.

PROFESSIONALS TO RUN **MOVIES ON INGOT IRON**

A moving picture of the manufacture of Armco Ingot Iron and Steel will be shown by the Combined Professional Societies in room 5-330 Friday at 4 o'clock. D. M. Strickland, chief metallurgist of the American Rolling Mill Company, will give a talk in connection with the films and explain the proces-ses shown. The American Rolling Mill Company is one of the largest manufactures of ingot iron in the country. The members of the societies in charge of the moving pictures invite the student body and the Faculty to

On The Trail Of An Institute Mail Box

Not many students who, arriving at the Institute late for their "9 o'clocks," have darted to and fro in frantic search of a mailbox to get last night's batch of letters off, would guess that there are 25 of the elusive receptacles scat-tered around the buildings. There are one or two on every floor of every building, no matter how hard it seems to find one when you are in a hurry to post a letter.

There is one collection from all these boxes between 10:30 and 11:30 o'clock in the morning and two more during the afternoon, except Saturdays and Sundays. These come between 1:30 and 2:30 and between 4 and 5 o'clock. After the last regular collection, mail dropped in the U. S. Mail box by the entrance at 3-005 will be collected and forwarded.

Interdepartmental mail is delivered to the desks of the instructing staff before 9 o'clock each morning. Such mail may be dropped in any Institute mail box without postage attached and will be delivered.

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lowing places:

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tion of building Building 2 Basement: At junction of building 4. First Floor: Near room 2-190. Second Floor: Near room 2-261. Third Floor: Near room 2-325. Near room 2-363.

Building 3 First Floor: Near freight elevator. Second Floor: Near freight elevator. Third Floor: At junction of building 10. Near room 3-382.

Fourth Floor: Near freight elevator.

Building 4 First Floor: Near freight elevator. In central corridor. Near room 4-173. Second Floor: Near freight elevator Near room 4-210.

Third Floor: Near freight elevator.
Fourth Floor: Near freight elevator.
Near room 4-471.
Building 8

First Floor: Near entrance.

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON ATHLETICS DECORATES

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of next year's basketball team was declared to be ineligible for further competition as he has had three years of varsity basketball. He played at Williams in one or two games and then came to Technology where he has competed for two seasons. The fact that he competed at Williams placed him under the three year rule, and hence made him incligible for further competition.

The recommendation that the first and second crews wear regular insignia in competition was approved. Coach Connor suggested that the 35 lb. weight record be included among the Technology track records, as competition is keen in that event at present.

THE LOUNGER

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proud possessor of long white mustachios and expansive chin decorations which completely outclasses anything on this campus.

Technology's prestige suffered a severe blow last summer when Professor Hosmer ruthlessly hacked away his facial adornments. But Professors Jenney, Timbie, Jack, Drisko, Wilson, Tyler, Bartlett and Passano and Dean Talbot still carry on the torch. The density of bewhiskered individuals seems to be greatest in the department of mathematics, which is the nearest approach to a liberal art subject. The department of chemical engineering holds the record for one hundred percent clean shaven instructors.

It is natural that there are fewer beards to be found among the younger instructors than among the professors with formidable records of service. A few instructors wear mustaches but with one accord they leave the dimples McGill University. In the future, except of their chins in no more privacy than for the wearing of frosh hats, hazing a gold fish. Almost 25 percent of the will be confined to one day of the first heads of departments, however, go in I for the sartorial foliage.

TECHNOLOGY JOINS NEW **ENGLAND RADIO LEAGUE**

Technology and twelve other New England colleges and universities are represented in the New England Intercollegiate Radio League which was organized at the convention of the New England Division of the League held in Springfield last week. J. O. Glennie of Dartmouth was elected president.

The purpose of the intercollegiate organization is to handle traffic between the colleges such as results of tootball matches, of debates and to constitute a means of sending broadcast general intercollegiate activities.

BEAVER ELECTS

The following men, all of the Sophomore Class, have been elected to the Beaver Club: A. B. Bassett K. S. Lord

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